

DECLARATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled DISPLAY RACK AND HOOK COMBINATION, the application for which

(check one) ☒ [X] is attached hereto

☐ [] was filed on _____ as Application Serial No. _____
and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

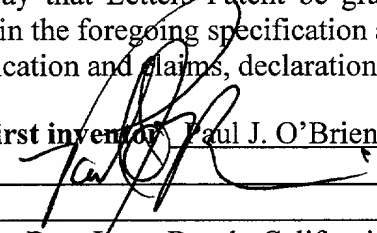
I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application of which priority is claimed.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Wherefore I pray that Letters Patent be granted to me for the invention or discovery described and claimed in the foregoing specification and claims, and I hereby subscribe my name to the foregoing specification and claims, declaration, power of attorney, and this petition.

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Inventor's signature 

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)
Inventor(s): Paul J. O'Brien)
Title: DISPLAY RACK AND HOOK COMBINATION)
_____)

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir/Madam:

O'Brien Industries, Inc., having become the owner of all rights in and to the above-identified application by virtue of an Assignment executed by the inventor concurrently with the execution of the application, said Assignment:

☒ being submitted herewith for recording; or
☐ having been previously recorded with the U.S. Patent
and Trademark Office, at reel _____ and frame(s) _____

hereby revokes all prior powers and now appoints:

Berman, C., Reg. 29249	Guernsey, L.B., Reg. 40,008	Larson, D.N., Reg. 29,401
Bobys, M.P., Reg. 45,267	Guillot, R.O., Reg. 28,852	Lazaris, S.J., Reg. 45,981
Bosworth, M.K., Reg. 28,186	Hamrick, C.A.S., Reg. 22,586	Lervick, C.J., Reg. 35,244
Bovasso, L.J., Reg. 24,075	Hansen, S.R., Reg. 38,486	Lieske, S.C. Reg. 47,749
Boyce, J., Reg. 40,920	Harris, M.D., Reg. 26,690	MacLean, K.A., Reg. 31,118
Brown, M.E., Reg. 28,590	Hayden, R.D., Reg. 42,645	McKinley, D., Reg. 42,867
Burton, D.L., Reg. 45,323	Heyninck, M., Reg. 44,763	McRoss, L., Reg. 40,427
Canter, B., Reg. 34,792	Hickman, P.L., Reg. 28,516	Morton, C.A., Reg. 44,954
Chen, A., Reg. P48,508	Howell, S.M., Reg. 45,929	Nader, R., Reg. P47,260
Chou, C., Reg. 41,672	Hughes, M.J., Reg. 29,077	Roberts, R.E., Reg. 38,597
Coleman, B.R., Reg. 39,145	Inskeep, J.W., Reg. 33,910	Rose, A. C., Reg. 17,047
Cullman, L.C., Reg. 39,645	Jastram, H.D., Reg. 19,777	Rosenberg, C., Reg. 31,464
Darrow, C., Reg. 30,166	Kelley, S.S., Reg. 43,449	Sherry, L., Reg. 43,918
Diepenbrock III, A.B., Reg. 39,960	Kennedy, B., Reg. 33,407	Smith, G.P., Reg. 20,142
Edwards, W.G., Reg. 44,426	Khan, T., Reg. 46,273	Swienton, B., Re. P49,050
Farber, M., Reg. 32,612	Kudla, J.P., Reg. P47,724	Wood, G.B., Reg. 28,133

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their attorneys to prosecute said application and to transact in connection therewith all business in the Patent and Trademark Office and before competent International authorities.

The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above.

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

O'Brien Industries, Inc.

Dated: _____

8/9/01

By _____



Paul J. O'Brien
President